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HAD A TOUGH TIME ON THE RIVER

A Small Motor Boat Becomes Disabled Through Fouling A Rope With Her Propeller

A small motor boat containing three men had a rough time of it up river Sunday afternoon. There was a nasty chop running caused by the high northwest wind, and the incoming tide and the little boat was making heavy weather of it. When off South Elliot the propeller became fouled with a rope and all efforts to clear it were fruitless. Finally the occupants set up a white cloth on a pole as a flag of distress.

There were no boats in the vicinity and it was necessary to send to Kittery after a motor boat to go to their assistance. In the mean while the disabled boat drifted almost to the Dover Point bridge, before overtaken and rescued.

LOST THEIR FIRST GAME

High School Football Team Fall Down Before Sanborn Seminary

The High school football team lost their first game of the season on Saturday, when they played the Sanborn Seminary at Kingston. The local boys were a little over confident after their series of wins, but they found a tough proposition in the Seminary team, who were heavier and played them to a stand still and finally won the game by a score of 14 to nothing. The original schedule called for a game with Bonanza High, but this was changed and the Sanborn team taken on.

The High school team played a good game and at times were close to scoring, but each time the heavy Seminary team held and secured the ball.

IN THE FOOTBALL WORLD

From the showing made this year by both Annapolis and West Point, the football teams of these two schools must be considered among the big teams of the country. On the Navy team Ralph Cobb of Kittery, a grandson of Calvin Hayes, played right end, on Saturday against the Indians and played a fine game. He was formerly on the Tri-Valley Academy team.

Dartmouth plays the first of her big games next Saturday, when they will meet Princeton at New York. From the outlook it should be a close game with the odds a little in favor of Dartmouth. The following Saturday Dartmouth plays Harvard and the wearers of the green should win.

Harvard will play the Carleton Indians on Saturday and a comparison of the scores of the games between the Indians and Annapolis and Harvard favors the Indians. They always did give Harvard a good game and next Saturday will be no exception.

The big game of the year for the football enthusiasts of this city will be the Dartmouth-Harvard game Nov. 14, and a large number of fans will attend.

From the football records of the big teams on Saturday it would look as though Dartmouth had an excellent chance to win all of her games this year as many of the side colleges. The only big team the wearers of the green do not play is Yale, but they will be a chance for comparison as both Harvard and Princeton play Yale, and Dartmouth plays them.

CHECKLIST NOTICE

The Board of Registrars of Voters of the City of Portsmouth, hereby give notice that they will be in session at City Hall in said city on the following dates: Sept. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Nov. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Dec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Jan. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Feb. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Mar. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Apr. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 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# TAFT IS SURE OF BAY STATE.

Some Doubt, However, as to the Governorship.

## DEMOCRATS NOW UNITED.

Old Wounds Have Healed and Efforts Will Be Made to Get Out Full Party Vote—Registration Not Up to Expectations—Glance at the Situation in Other New England States—Apathy in Northern Portion.

Boston, Nov. 2.—With the Republicans conceded to be in complete command of the situation in Massachusetts on the national contest, interest in tomorrow's battle in this state centres on the size of the vote and Mr. Taft's plurality.

Eliminating the abnormal vote of 1890, when McKinley carried the state by 163,540, the average Republican plurality in Massachusetts since 1872 in a presidential canvass has been about 45,000. Four years ago President Roosevelt won the state by 92,000 in a total vote of about 415,000, with a registration of about 543,000. This year the registration has been scarcely more than 1 percent over that of 1904, or about 500,000, and it is estimated on this basis that about 150,000 voters will avail themselves of the right of suffrage.

Although Taft will carry the state, according to all political observers, Mr. Draper's contest with Mr. Vahcy for governor is somewhat more in doubt. The Republican managers look for the election of Draper by a substantial plurality, while the Democratic leaders state that Vahcy's election is not improbable. The Democrats are more united this year than for some time, and, while the campaign has not been fought with the vigor which characterized former contests, a split which took place in the party last year has apparently been healed and every effort will be made to poll the full party strength in Tuesday's contests. As Draper in his second campaign for the lieutenant governorship had a particularly hard contest against the Democratic aspirant, E. G. Brown, and only won by a narrow margin, his opponents this year have attacked his record and attitude regarding labor, and there will be considerable interest in the election as to the size of the vote and Draper's popularity in the cities where manufacturers' interests are prominent.

The registration in the thirty-three cities of the state has not come up to expectations and has fallen off from that of 1904 in fifteen and eight other cities, although showing an increase of 31,000 between 1904 and 1904. The registration in the 324 towns shows only a slight increase over 1904. Since 1900, when the congressional lines were rearranged, the Massachusetts congressional delegation has stood eleven Republicans and three Democrats. The Republican leaders claim that two of the Democratic congressmen, Mr. O'Connell in the Tenth and Mr. Peters in the Eleventh, will be defeated and that the delegation will show only one Democratic congressman. The Democratic managers, however, assert that both O'Connell and Peters will be re-elected and that the party candidates have chances for election in the Fourth and Fifth congressional districts. Both sides concede that the balance of the delegation will remain intact.

There is no substantial contest at stake in the election of the incoming legislature, and it is regarded as probable that the tie between the two parties, with the Republicans well in the majority, will remain about the same.

### IN RHODE ISLAND.

Providence, Nov. 2.—The campaign in this state was practically brought to a close Saturday night. The present outlook is believed to be about the same as in 1904, when Potter (Rep.) won the contest for governor over Barman (Dem.) by about 800 plurality, giving the Republicans control of the executive office after two years of Democratic rule.

This year Aram J. Potter (Rep.) is pitted against Olney Arnold (Dem.) and it is conceded that the result will depend largely upon the independent voters, as exemplified by the Lincoln Union, comprising Republicans who have joined the Democrats on state issues alone and who demand the reformation of National Councilman Brayton. The complexion of the assembly will also depend upon the action taken by these same independent voters, although it will probably have a Republican majority.

### LITTLE INTEREST IN MAINE.

Portland, Me., Nov. 2.—By reason of a September election law established in the days when it was believed that Maine people would find it difficult to get to the polls in November, Maine's November vote will be but an echo of the September shouting. There has never been a year when the national election was so completely ignored by both the great parties as it has been this year.

### CONFLICTING CLAIMS.

New Haven, Nov. 2.—Political activity is kept up in all the larger towns of the state by the party managers, as the fight over the governorship has entered the "trotback" stage. The flood of

documentary matter continues to go through the mails, indicating that the attack and counter-attack upon certain candidates is being kept up. Chairman Kenealy of the Republican state committee says the state will be 25,000 for Taft and 15,000 for Litley. Chairman Comstock of the Democratic state committee goes to the other extreme by predicting a landslide in the state for the state ticket and the winning of Connecticut for Bryan.

### MAY VOTE AT STATE HOUSE.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 2.—But little interest is being shown in this state in the election tomorrow, which will be for presidential electors only, and the indications are that the four Republican electors will be chosen by about the usual majority of from 27,000 to 30,000. Under a bill passed by the legislature last Friday, all members of that body, judges of the supreme court, members of the bar and all other persons whose duties are at the capital, are permitted to cast their votes at the state house instead of at their respective places of residence.

### LICENSE QUESTION UTMOST.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 2.—There have been no new developments as regards the political situation in this state. The chief interest has centered in the license question. All the towns in the state vote on the question of local option tomorrow and meetings under the auspices of the no-license faction were held yesterday in churches all over the state. Both Democrats and Republicans claim the election of their candidate for governor.

### BURGERS MAKE BIG HAUL.

Overlooked Diamonds Worth \$1500 Which Were Within Their Reach.

Boston, Nov. 2.—Safe-breakers entered the jewelry store of Samuel J. Kalm at 1050 Washington street sometime early Sunday and, smashing the safe with nitro-glycerine placed in holes drilled in the back, secured \$1000 worth of jewelry and made their escape. A bag containing diamonds valued at \$15,000 was overlooked by the thieves. The show cases were stripped of watches and jewelry.

Two white men, one believed to be a professional safe-breaker known to the police, and a negro had been seen about the store the past week and the police are seeking the trio as suspects.

## CASTRO'S DECREE IS NOT REVOKED.

Time Limit Set By the Dutch Government Has Expired.

Willemstad, Nov. 2.—The Netherlands government fixed Nov. 1 as the limit of time for Venezuela to revoke the decree of President Castro, issued on May 14, prohibiting the transshipment of goods for Venezuelan ports at Curaçao. Castro has refused to revoke this decree, but as yet, so far as is known here, The Netherlands government has not decided upon definite action.

The opinion is held among naval officers here that no direct steps will be taken within a week. Battleship Jacob Van Heerck and protected cruiser Friesland, which are now in this port, still have on board all the superfluous equipments which would be discarded in time of war.

Advises from Maracaibo state that it was reported on Oct. 24 that Castro had ordered the mobilization of 50,000 troops to be ready Nov. 2. Two days later there were rumors in Maracaibo that General Robledo, who previously had been charged with leading a revolutionary movement in Venezuela, was crossing the frontier with 20,000 men from Chuao, Colombia. No further account of this movement could be learned because mail and telegraphic communications with Chuao were suspended the following day.

Other advisers reaching Willemstad report the serious illness of Castro. There was some talk of a trace of poison having been found in his food. The residents of Curaçao and other Venezuelan cities look for the blockade to be inaugurated by the Dutch warships this week.

Alarm is increasing among the residents of the port of La Guaira in view of the extensive military preparations which have been going on to meet the threatened action of The Netherlands government.

### AN ALLEGED FIREBUG.

Ortdown, Me., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Rhia Tourtellotte, aged 30, who works in the woolen mills, was arrested on the charge of arson, the warrant alleging that she set fire to the summer cottage of Charles H. Dray of this place at Northport campground last Thursday, causing the destruction of five buildings and a loss of \$15,000. Mrs. Tourtellotte occupied apartments in this city in a block owned by Dray and spent last summer at Northport campground.

### SAILORS ARE DISAPPOINTED.

Amox, Nov. 2.—Two thousand men of the second squadron of the American fleet were allowed to land yesterday and were served at the reception grounds with an European luncheon and a Chinese dinner. The men, however, are showing great disappointment because they are not permitted to leave the grounds, restrictions having been placed upon them because the authorities do not believe that the city is yet free from cholera and plague.

# ADHERE TO FORECASTS.

Mack and Hitchcock Each Confident of Success.

## ELECTORAL COLLEGE VOTE.

Democratic Chairman Says Bryan Will Have 333, While 325 Votes Are Claimed For Taft—Cross Political Observers Admit That They Are In Doubt as to the General Result in New York State.

New York, Nov. 2.—At both Republican and Democratic headquarters in this city it is announced that the work of the respective organizations in the campaign of 1908 is at an end. National Chairman Hitchcock of the Republican committee and National Chairman Mack of the Democratic committee are going home to vote and will return to this city tomorrow afternoon to receive returns at headquarters. Hitchcock goes to Newton, Mass., and Mack to Buffalo.

Sunday was a quiet day, details of correspondence left over from the flood tide rush being about the only business attended to. Mack and Hitchcock adhered to the forecasts given out on Friday and Saturday, the Democratic chairman contending that Mr. Bryan will receive 333 votes and Hitchcock announcing himself as positive in his belief that Mr. Taft will have 325 votes in the electoral college. As only 212 votes are necessary to elect both chairmen are fighting on wide margins for their respective candidates.

While the national chairmen believe that all has been done that can be done to elect their chiefs, the candidates themselves will continue in the fight until practically the last minute. Taft, after spending yesterday in Buffalo, went this morning to Cleveland, where he will speak this afternoon, and will then go to Youngstown, where he speaks tonight, hurrying thence to Cincinnati to vote and learn the results of the election.

Mr. Bryan intends to put in today campaigning in northwestern Kansas and will be at Lincoln this evening for a home coming demonstration.

At Republican headquarters it was asserted that Mack's estimate of 333 votes for Bryan had been expected in view of the same claims made earlier in the campaign. It was further said that Mack had included in his list states that were practically conceded by state leaders to be Republican.

Mr. Mack declared that "the only thing that can defeat Mr. Bryan is the corrupt use of money." He said he had sent his last instructions to state chairmen to get out their vote early and to see that it was fairly counted.

"We are through," said Hitchcock, "my fight is won. It was made on the plane agreed upon at the beginning of the campaign."

Mr. Hitchcock announced that there had ceased to be any doubt as to Republican success in such states as Indiana, Ohio and New Jersey—all claimed by Mack—and it was added by a member of his staff that the Republican national committee is a sure of New York as it is of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Mack said that his election to Bryan and Kern will receive 333 votes in the electoral college is based on reports received from state chairmen and from private sources. State Chairman Rogers has predicted that Bryan will receive more than 325 plurality in the state and that Chamber will get more than 160,000.

The Democratic national committee bases its belief that Bryan will be elected on the following four reasons, which have been incorporated into a statement by Chairman Daniels of the literary bureau:

"Bryan will be elected because the Democratic today presents a united front. Further, the Democratic party will be augmented by thousands of Republicans dissatisfied with the untalentedness of twelve years of Republican administration."

"This army of voters will be further strengthened by a new force in the American politics—the labor vote. Assembling there were to be a strict party line-up at election, the labor vote itself would turn the scales to Democratic success. The labor party has put all its eggs in the Democratic basket and it must win to save them."

"Mr. Bryan himself has gained wonderful strength in the last few years in all parts of the country and thousands of voters who neither understand him nor his aims now place their absolute trust in him and his policies."

"The Democratic national committee has brought all the elements of the party together. It has the labor vote, and its remarkable accession of strength from the Republican ranks, together with Mr. Bryan's strength with the masses, are the reasons why this national election will turn to Democracy."

Mr. Mack, in a statement last night, again attacked the Republican party for not immediately making their campaign contributions public.

The New York campaign is practically at an end. Both Democratic and Republican state leaders claim to be confident of success. Close political observers who have canvassed the state from end to end, however, frankly admit that they are in doubt and that there is no positive way in which the result can be forecasted. From every-

where come reports of Republican defection from Governor Hughes, but the Republican leaders do not place very much stock in these and say that whatever votes Hughes loses in his own party will be more than offset by gains from among the Democrats and independent voters.

The Democratic leaders say they have been confident of victory from the very start of the campaign. The Independence League party, managed by W. R. Hearst, has a complete state ticket in the field, and its leaders have been concentrating practically all of their fire on Mr. Chamber, who was Hearst's running mate two years ago, and there is some interest in the strength the new party will show.

### EXODUS OF VOTERS.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Such an exodus from the national capital of voters entitled to the right of franchise in various states has not been known in any political campaign since that of 1896 as has been taking place in the last four or five days. A careful canvass of the several executive departments shows up to noon Saturday that approximately 3500 voters had already gone to their homes and that many hundreds more left Washington Saturday night and yesterday. It is estimated that 1500 more will leave for nearby states today.

President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft and several White House attaches who hold voting residences in New York will leave Washington tonight. All members of the cabinet now are in their respective states except Secretaries Wright and McCall. The former failed to register in Tennessee and the latter is confined to his residence by a serious illness.

The unusual number of government employees who this year are embracing the opportunity to cast their ballots indicates the intensity of interest taken in Washington in the result of tomorrow's election.

Washington in the campaign of Speaker Cannon. Telegrams from the speaker to friends here express confidence in the result of tomorrow's balloting, not only so far as he himself is concerned, but also as to the Republican national ticket. Cannon expresses the belief that the Republicans will have in the house of the Sixty-first congress a comfortable working majority.

### THE PROHIBITION VOTE.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—With the assertion that the vote for the Prohibition party tomorrow will be twice as large as the largest ever before cast for the party, Chairman Jones announced that the Prohibition national committee has been assured an income of \$25,000 a year for the next four years with which to carry on its work. Jones says that the financial backing for the party has been pledged by 1000 prominent persons.

"With the widespread interest shown in the work of suppressing the liquor traffic and the votes taken from the old parties by Eugene W. Clark, we will force the Prohibition issue as the dominant question in national politics," said Jones. "Every prospect for a wide desertion from the Republican and the Democratic to the Prohibition ranks."

### FIRE DESTROYS SCHOOER.

New York, Nov. 2.—Steamer Admiral Selley, from Port Antonio, had on board the captain and crew of the schooner Lullie L. Pollard, New York from Fernandina, Fla., with a cargo of lumber, and which was burned at sea Saturday night. Captain Pollard of the Pollard says the steamer struck a match in the engine room to light the stidlight when there was an explosion which set fire to the entire forward house, containing two tanks of gasoline. The fire spread rapidly and the steamer was towed to 80 in the stern without saving any of their officers. The timely arrival of the Admiral Selley saved the crew from almost certain death.

### A BOMB OUTRAGE.

Waltham, Mass., Nov. 2.—Detectives have been called in and the police are hard at work to solve the mystery of the throwing of a bomb which exploded in front of the home of Dr. Edmund R. L. Fournier. The bomb took a hole in the concrete leading to the side entrance of the doctor's office, broke many windows in the house and surrounding buildings, tore off chimneys and destroyed much property inside Fournier's office. Dr. Fournier can offer no solution as to the cause of the outrage.

### CAPTAIN HAS SKIPPED.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 2.—Suspected of having engaged in smuggling Chinese from Mexico to the United States, schooner Freddie W. Allen of Boston is detained here by customs officials. Captain Daly, master of the vessel, disappeared when the investigation began. The Allen sailed from Boston Sept. 1, steering straight for the Mexican coast, remaining off Vera Cruz for about fifteen days and then proceeding to Pensacola. The vessel carries a crew of twelve men.

### KOREAN TROUBLE ENDED.

Seoul, Nov. 2.—The thirteenth division of the Japanese army, after having been on duty here since the outbreak of hostilities with the Koreans, is embarking for Japan. This action is taken as significant of the termination of the trouble.

### THE WEATHER.

Albanae, Tuesday, Nov. 3.  
Sun rises—6:20; sets—4:35.  
Moon sets—12:21 a. m.  
High water—6:30 a. m.; 7 p. m.  
Fair and warmer weather is indicated for New England.

# INDISCRETION OF VON BUELOW.

German Chancellor May Be Forced to Quit Office.

## THE EMPEROR'S INTERVIEW.

Radical, Liberal and Socialist Newspapers Aroused Over Shifting of Responsibility For Note Which Has Infuriated People of Other Nations.

Berlin, Nov. 2.—Chancellor Von Buelow's position appears to be almost untenable. Far and wide throughout the empire the newspapers of all parties discuss with varying degrees of mockery, amazement and regret the government's explanation of how what purported to be an important interview of the emperor, affecting three great powers, passed through the hands of the chancellor and a long line of foreign office officials, without seemingly having been considered by any of them or even read by most of those responsible for the delicate foreign relations.

The emperor fully endorses Prince Von Buelow's part in the affair, but the chancellor's authority and prestige with the country have been so shaken that he may again ask the emperor to relieve him.

All the Radical, Liberal and Socialist journals utilize the event to urge upon the country a demand for a ministry responsible to the parliament and the people, instead of the continuance of unilateral responsibility to the crown alone.

It is learned that the emperor handed the manuscript of the interview which appeared in the London Daily Telegraph and the authorship of which is still undisclosed to Baron Von Juchacz, who was attached to his entourage while the emperor was absent from the capital a short time ago, as the representative of the foreign office, with the direction to send it to Von Buelow.

The chancellor described the note from Von Juchacz, which accompanied the manuscript, as referring to the emperor as an article, not as an interview, so that the chancellor did not consider it necessary to give it his personal attention. The manuscript consisted of a number of small fly-like sheets, the handwriting being difficult to decipher, and the chancellor referred it to Herr von Mueller, the minister at The Hague, who was noted as the emperor's private secretary.

The latter, in his turn, without examining the document, sent it to the foreign office, where, in the absence of Herr von Schonen, the secretary for foreign affairs, it was read by subordinate officials, who did not attach importance to its contents, and returned, without the proper channels without further examination until transmitted by one of the imperial secretaries to England, where, as The Tagliche Rundschau, one of the newspapers that is read in court, aristocratic and military circles, described it: "It entered easily into the world, informing the French, Russians, Dutch and Japanese, chilling the British, exciting bitterness and nervous irritation on the part of our own people and undermining our neighbors' belief in our reliability."

The whole subject is likely to come up for debate in the Reichstag, which will reconvene on Wednesday.

It is reported that Herr von Schonen, secretary for foreign affairs, has also tendered his resignation in connection with the recent publication in a London newspaper of the emperor's interview.

### AS VIEWED IN LONDON.

London, Nov. 2.—The London papers comment radically upon what they describe as "tendentious semi-official explanations" from Berlin concerning the emperor's published interview and consider that the effect of these will be greatly to increase distrust of the German foreign office and its methods and probably lead to still greater friction between Great Britain and Germany.

The Daily Telegraph gives no further explanation of the affair, which, its Berlin correspondent declares, involves Germany in the gravest domestic crisis she has experienced since the dismissal of Bismarck.

### ADVANCE IN TELEPHONY.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Examinations by naval experts in wireless telephony, as to the sound which will carry the greatest distance, develops that the steam siren, under seventy-two pounds of steam pressure, will emit a blast which may be heard forty miles. No other sound, the steam whistle, the sea of which is carried twenty miles. Among the softer sounds which carry a considerable distance is the whistling tone, which has frequently been heard from miles.

### CAB DRIVER KILLED.

Boston, Nov. 2.—Lucas M. Brennan, aged 53, was most instantly killed by being struck from the seat of a hansom cab he was driving by an electric car. The seat of the hansom was cut cleanly off by the car. In the cab were Mrs. Frances Hove and Mrs. Heaseman, who were on their way from the Hotel Touraine to visit Cambridge friends. Neither was injured.

### FOREST, FIELD AND STREAM.

Move For Their Conservation Is Meeting With Gratifying Results. Chicago, Nov. 2.—Pledges of active support of the conservation of the natural resources movement have been received by the officers of the Conservation League of America from more than one-third of all the Republican and Democratic candidates for congress, and President Fisher declares that the league has every reason to be gratified with the results of its first national campaign.

In addition to the signed declarations of support, which number 257, the league has received letters and telegrams from a considerable number of congressional candidates expressing approval of its policies and assurance of support.

The campaign has also been carried into the state assemblies, and 684 candidates for the lower houses and 293 candidates for state senates in different states have pledged their aid to the movement.

The conservation of natural resources on a country-wide scale had its inception in the suggestion of President Roosevelt and received impetus last May, when the policies to be pursued were outlined at a conference in Washington. The league now includes thirty associations, diverse in character, but united by a common interest in the intelligent development and effective conservation of the natural resources of the nation in forest, field and stream.

## FORTY THOUSAND MEN IN PARADE.

Closing Feature of Catholics' Celebration at Boston.

Boston, Nov. 2.—What was probably the greatest parade of a religious character in the history of any New England city brought to a close yesterday the centenary celebration of the founding of the Roman Catholic diocese of Boston, which was begun on Wednesday last.

It is estimated that fully 40,000 men, representing the Holy Name societies of the Roman Catholic churches in the five counties which constitute the diocese, Suffolk, Middlesex, Essex, Norfolk and Plymouth, with over 150 priests, participated, marching to the music of 100 bands. The route taken was through the wide streets of the Back Bay section, and thousands of spectators witnessed the marchers, carrying simply the Stars and Stripes and the banners of the societies of their respective churches. Starting shortly after noonday it was long after dark before the last company had been disbanded.

Passing before the archbishop's residence, the parade was reviewed by the highest dignitary of the Roman Catholic church in America, Cardinal Gibbons, who came here to be present at the closing exercises, and Archbishop O'Connell, together with a number of visiting prelates and missionaries from a reviewing stand which had been erected for the occasion. For a body of civilians who had received but little drilling the men made an excellent appearance and marched with almost military precision. The day was begun with a solemn pontifical mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. Last night in the same edifice the Te Deum service was held, bringing to a conclusion the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Boston diocese.

### ENDED DAYS IN POORHOUSE.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 2.—Dr. John W. Hill, believed to be of a noble English family, died in the poorhouse here, 811, was born 75 years ago on the island of St. Helena. He served in the English army and with the Union army in the Civil war. He spoke French, German, Spanish, Arabian, Hindi and English fluently. Over a year ago he gave away considerable wealth to friends and relatives and disposed of his interest in estates in Canada and Wales. Overcome by the shock of being rejected by relatives to whom he gave his money, it is claimed, and his health failing, he was glad to seek refuge in the poorhouse last March.

### VOTING IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

St. John's, Nov. 2.—The general election for the colonial legislature is being held today. Premier Bond leading the government forces and Edward Morris the opposition. Both parties have put tickets in every district. While it is impossible to forecast the result, both parties expect confidence in victory. The poll closes at 2 p. m.

### WANTED IN NEW YORK.

Boston, Nov. 2.—Augustus M. Brown, 114, of New York city, was arrested by Boston officers as a fugitive from justice, it being represented that the New York officers held a warrant against him on the charge of the robbery of \$1500, alleged to have been obtained in payment for worthless stocks.

### FILIAL OBEDIENCE.

"Harold," she murmured in his ear, "mamma says I mustn't encourage you to come here so often, and I have to do as she tells me, of course, but you don't need any encouragement—do you, dear?"

How poor are they that have no patience.—Shakespeare.

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100,000	150,000	200,000	250,000	300,000	350,000	400,000	450,000	500,000	550,000	600,000	650,000	700,000	750,000	800,000	850,000	900,000	950,000	1,000,000	1,050,000	1,100,000	1,150,000	1,200,000	1,250,000	1,300,000	1,350,000	1,400,000	1,450,000	1,500,000	1,550,000	1,600,000	1,650,000	1,700,000	1,750,000	1,800,000	1,850,000	1,900,000	1,950,000	2,000,000

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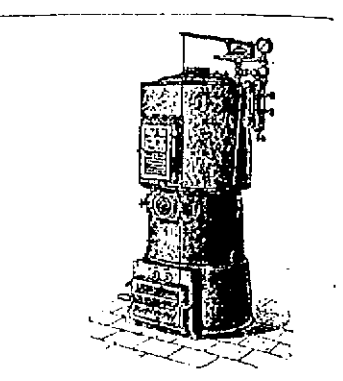
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NOVEMBER 2.

SUN RISES..... 6:51 AM MOON SETS..... 7:00 PM  
SUN SETS..... 4:32 PM FULL MOON..... 10:30 PM  
LENGTH OF DAY..... 10:31 HOURS

Full Moon, Nov. 2nd, 5:50 a.m., morning, W.  
Last Quarter, Nov. 15th, 6:40 a.m., evening, E.  
New Moon, Nov. 22nd, 6:50 a.m., evening, W.  
First Quarter, Nov. 30th, 10:40 a.m., evening, E.

## THE WEATHER

It was good freezing weather this morning with the mercury standing at twenty to twenty-four above zero, according to location.

A good wind has been blowing all day, and the chilliness has caused about the first person to make the annual change to winter clothing.

The temperature rose to forty-two in the shade and wind at two o'clock, while in sunny spots protected against the wind it rose to sixty degrees or more.

The United States weather bureau tells us that tomorrow will be fair and cold.

## CITY BRIEFS

The last day of the fight.

Police court business is decreasing.

The ballot in Ward One has been counted.

The large company has shut down until Wednesday.

Only one more day to name your favorite candidate.

Osgood Lodge, I. O. O. F. Fair, Nov. 10, 11, 12.

Vote the straight ticket. Taft, Quinby and the others.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

The wind of Sunday gave the asphalt streets a good cleaning.

The Catholic Union held a lively business meeting on Sunday.

Try a want ad. in the Herald for lost articles, a house to rent, etc.

Keep yourself posted on all the local news of the city by reading the Herald.

A straw vote taken at a prominent club in this city, last week greatly surprised everybody.

There is only one way to get the live exclusive news of the town and that is to read the Herald every day.

See Professor Wilson, the celebrated musician, in his original entertainment of musical numbers at the I. O. O. F. fair.

Rumor has it that a popular young lady employed at one of the dry goods stores will shortly announce her engagement to a wealthy resident of Salem, Mass.

There is no excuse for any Republican in Rockingham county scratching his ticket on Tuesday. The ticket is a clean one and every man should get the full vote.

The annual inspection of State Troop No. 1, Grand Army of the Republic, will be held on Wednesday evening, Nov. 18. Department Commander Stanton will be the inspecting officer and will be accompanied by his staff.

Sunday was the coldest day of the fall, with temperature running below thirty Sunday morning. The north-west wind which blew a gale the greater part of the day made it a disagreeable day to be out.

There were a number of visitors to the battleship Maine on Sunday. There is a great interest in the big ship and seldom a day passes but what there are a great many visitors coming about the ship. Sunday of course attracts the big crowd.

## ONE OF THE SOLOISTS

Mrs. S. D. Simson, Formerly of This City, Sings in Cantata at Nahua

Mrs. Sadie Dickey Shipman, formerly one of the leading vocalists of this city, was one of the soloists in Schenck's harvest cantata presented at the Congregational church at Nahua on Sunday evening.

SALVATION ARMY  
NEW COMMANDER

Adjutant Mary Radcliffe to Come from Bath

Capt. Robert B. Evans to Go from the Portsmouth Corps to Rochester

Captain Robert B. Evans farewell at Sunday night's meeting of the Portsmouth corps of the Salvation Army. Captain Evans came to this post from Augusta, Me., last February and has made a good record here.

His assistant, Charles E. Quinby, a private detailed for the work, will go to Rochester with him. They will leave on Tuesday.

It is not known where Cap. Evans will go from Rochester.

Adjutant Mary Radcliffe will arrive on Tuesday from Bath, Me., to take command of the Portsmouth post. It is not yet known who will be her assistant.

The commander of the Portsmouth post is expected to extend his work from York Beach, Me., to Hampton Beach and Exeter, N. H. The commander at Rochester also has the oversight of Salvation Army work in Dover, Somersworth, Salmon Falls, Milford and Farmington, N. H., and South Berwick, Me.

## OPINIONS OF THE PEOPLE

## Harbor Improvements

In view of the agitation which the Harbor Association is making for improvements in our harbor, the following extract from the Coast Section's Journal of San Francisco may be interesting.

"At the coming election the citizens of California will vote upon a proposition to increase the facilities of San Francisco harbor. The legislature in 1907 passed an act providing for the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$1,000,000 for the purchase of certain submerged lands which it is estimated will provide a dock frontage equal to the total of existing facilities. It remains for the people to approve the proposed bond issue."

The following statement set forth in part the argument in favor of the bond issue:

"Commerce follows the flag with but half the persistence that it follows harbor improvements."

"Wherever a community with deep water facilities has failed to keep up with the economic development of its back country or the requirements of modern seagoing vessels, which are ever increasing in size and tonnage, that community has a hard time to maintain its place. San Francisco's chief difficulty lies in its congested and utterly inadequate harbor. Its natural requirements, if it is far superior to either Seattle or Valparaiso. But no harbor, in the modern application of that term, that has nothing to recommend it but natural resources, is a harbor. Large ships lay idle in the stream because there are no wharves to accommodate them. It is hard to lure cupids, owners and shippers to a port and it is doubly hard to lure them there again if they have once been out to inconvenience and loss."

"A reputation of lack of wharf room is hard to overcome. The full of a port to second or third place is rapid."

The state of New Hampshire should help to improve Portsmouth harbor and encourage commerce to seek this port, for with commerce would come manufactures, agriculture would be encouraged and the whole state would be benefited indirectly.

The principal business of our port (outside of the navy yard) is the handling of coal which is sent to Manchester and the upper part of the state. And yet if we had proper facilities cotton for the mills at Manchester, Dover and Newmarket could be brought here as well as to Boston.

The state of Massachusetts has built the Hoosac docks and the Commonwealth wharf. And the city of Newark, N. J., has commenced to dig a harbor out of the salt marsh big enough for the largest ships that float.

If the state of New Hampshire or the Boston and Maine railroad would build a suitable dock and elevator here it would not be long before the Montreal and other lines of steamers would be glad to take advantage of our harbor because goods can be shipped from here to Boston, New

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## AT THE NAVY YARD

The court-martial board met today and reorganized on the charges Capt. Clifford J. Boush becomes president of the board and Capt. C. B. Hatch, U. S. M. C., judge advocate. Two cases were disposed of by the board.

Civil Engineer Maxson is visiting in Connecticut.

Rear Admiral Moore will shortly leave on a week's gunning trip in Maine.

Quite a bustle is being made on the foundation for the new shears near the coaling plant.

According to a dispatch from Boston the shears to be erected at this yard left Boston on Saturday.

The new pay vouchers which were recently ordered in connection with the weekly payments went into effect today.

Master Boilermaker Gamster, recently appointed in the department of steam engineering, has moved his household effects from Boston and taken a residence on Wilbur street.

A survey is being held on the U. S. S. Maine relative to the work to be done when the ship returns to the yard after going out to meet the fleet.

The commanding officer of the Yankee reports that the force of wreckers is working day and night installing the wrecking plant, and that the work is progressing in a most systematic and thorough manner. The greater part of the wrecking plant is now on board, and it is expected that the preliminary work will soon be completed, after which the main work will progress systematically, rapidly and with probably no interruptions by weather.

Capt. William P. Potter, who is promoted to rear admiral by the retirement of Rear Admiral Conden, receives his advancement while en route with the battleship fleet from Yokohama to Manila, at which port the first squadron under Admiral Sperry is due to arrive Oct. 31. Admiral Enory, commanding the second squadron, will retire Dec. 15, when Admiral Potter will succeed to command for the homeward voyage.

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## POLICE COURT

Matthew Atkinson and Timothy Harrington for drunkenness were heard in police court today.

Atkinson was released and Harrington ordered to pay a fine of \$5.00 and costs of \$5.36.

## MASSEY RESIGNS

Alfred P. Massey, for the past fifteen years passenger agent of the Boston and Maine railroad, has resigned to accept a position as New England agent of the Missouri and Iron Mountain railway.

## PERSONALS

Miss Dorothy Foster is visiting in Philadelphia.

George L. Hersey is able to be out, after a severe illness.

Mrs. L. H. Thayer has returned from a trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Lydia Lamonde of Parker street is visiting in Boston.

Morris Connors and Timothy Foley passed Sunday in East Boston.

Mrs. Joseph P. Conner is the guest of relatives in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Merrick are staying at Magog, P. Q., for a while.

E. H. Kirk, general manager of the Atlantic Shore Line, passed Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodgdon of Maplewood avenue are visiting in Boston.

Miss Annie Mahoney has concluded her duties as nurse at the Cottage Hospital.

Mrs. H. C. Wallace of Gardner street is the guest of Mrs. John L. Stoddard of Malden.

Colonel and Mrs. Charles P. Berry are preparing to open their residence on Richards avenue.

Hon. F. W. Hackett is at home from Washington where he has been spending the last fortnight.

Mrs. Jessie Littlefield of South Braintree, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Hilton of North street.

Mr. and Mrs. Minot H. Beacham of Boston passed Sunday in this city as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beacham.

Philip D. Loughton has returned from the Adirondacks for a short stay, in order to cast his first vote for president.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill of Newburyport, Mass., have been visiting his sister, Mrs. William O. Jenkins of State street.

Miss Eva Martel of Weymouth, Mass., spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. George Dennison of Navy street.

Charles Amazeen of the government printing bureau at Washington, D. C., arrived here today where he will cast his vote on Tuesday.

Conductor George Law of the Boston and Maine railroad is reported ill at the home of his brother, John K. Law at New London, N. H.

Mrs. Mary H. Soule and daughter Elizabeth and son Louis of Newburyport were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Soule of McDonough streets over Sunday.

Rev. L. H. Thayer delivered an interesting sermon on Sunday morning at the North Congregational church on "United Citizenship." It was a most timely and well delivered sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry and their two sons, Masters Clifford and Millard, of Campbell, Cal., are visiting her father, M. H. Bell of No. 1 Myrtle avenue. They will spend several weeks here in this their first New Hampshire visit for four years. Mr. Berry is Southern Pacific railway station agent at Campbell.

## ALL SOULS DAY

Services held at Church of the Immaculate Conception in Memory of the Dead

Today is All Souls day on the Catholic church calendar.

At the Church of the Immaculate Conception services commemorative to the dead were held. A high requiem mass was celebrated at 8 a. m. by Rev. Fr. Edward J. Walsh and a large choir of school children rendered music. A large number of the parishioners attended the mass.

If you vote for Ceylon Spinnery you will vote for an officer that has been tried and found to be capable and efficient in every way. Mr. Spinnery will get a big vote in his home city where he is best known.

E. T. COTTON IS  
AGED SEVENTY-SIX

A Well Known Portsmouth Citizen Has An Anniversary

Elisha T. Cotton, one of the city's well known residents, is today quietly celebrating the seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth at his home on Congress street, where numerous friends and acquaintances called and extended congratulations.

Mr. Cotton looks hale and hearty and does not show the effect of advanced years.

## AMESBURY MEN SUSPECTED

Police Think They Set the Big Fire at Salisbury Beach

Clue after clue has been followed by the Massachusetts police who have been working on the Salisbury Beach fire case. The most promising clue to the fire was that two Amesbury young men were at the beach the morning the fire started, and they have been unable to explain their presence there in a manner satisfactory to the authorities.

It is understood that some of the insurance companies have already commenced to cancel policies which are now in existence, refusing to carry them longer. Thus some property owners who were fortunate enough to escape the recent fire will find themselves up against it relative to insurance hereafter.

## BETTER CUT IT OUT

Hoodlums are Busy Dumping Over Ash Barrels Every Week on the Different Streets

For the past month boys have been going about the city pulling over ash barrels that are set out for the city wagons and dumping the rubbish in the street much to the annoyance of people who set them out who are obliged to spend much time every week cleaning up after the pranks of these boys. The matter has been reported to the police who are on the track of this gang of hoodlums and they are liable to make a sorrowful ending if they insist in keeping up this work.

## TRIAL OF CHESTER

Standardization Test Over Rockland Course on Wednesday

Portland, Me., Nov. 2.—A hotel here on Sunday received orders to reserve rooms for Rear Admiral McLean and other members of the board of inspection and survey, who will arrive here tonight and Tuesday morning. They will have charge of the standardization trial of the new scout cruiser Chester.

The standardization trial is expected to take place on the Rockland course Wednesday, and the ship will go to sea on a four-hour run the following day.

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